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The Third Annual Northern Michigan championship tournament starts Monday evening, March 26 and will continue through till Wednesday evening, when the final games will be played for high honors.

This promises to be one of the best in recent years and without a doubt the best in the north. Teams have been asked from leading cities and also teams that have won other tournaments this past season to compete for the championship.

During this tournament, fans will witness teams representing Bay City, Mt. Pleasant, Traverse City, Roscommon, West Branch, Gaylord and Grayling, and efforts are being made to bring the winners of the Boyne City tournament here also, which is being held Thursday, Friday, and Saturday of this week. With these teams entered, basketball followers should witness not only real basketball games, but ex-college stars of state fame.

Traverse City Elks, last year's champs, are bringing their same classy quintet. The Goddard Sport Shop of Bay City, a team composed of the best in Bay City have notified the management they will enter and assure the people a real basketball team. Govers Sport Shop of Mt. Pleasant has also asked to enter. This team will be made up of Mt. Pleasant Normal state of this year's squad, and should prove a real threat to everyone for the title.

Gaylord has not been in action on the local court this year but this town is always sure to send the best they have and will make it tough for any of them. Roscommon, likewise strongly represented, may prove a surprise to many. West Branch Merchants' latest entries are a nice addition. Grayling will be represented by two teams: the Lumberjacks, the Cubs, managed by Myron Burrows, and the Wolverines, managed by T. Wheeler. These teams have been practicing hard the past few weeks and are determined to "go places" in the coming event.

The Lumberjacks will be strengthened by William Cornell, high school coach, Bernie Ciolek, former Jackson High star, and Bates, a former Muskegon High star. These lads have proven to be clever basketball material and should bolster the Jacks up who are determined to regain the championship.

The prizes awarded will be engraved gold basketballs to winners, silver balls to runners-up and bronze medals for third place or consolation if one should be staged.

The officials will be Cohen of Western State, assisted by Cornell when not playing. The admission for each evening will be 15 and 25 cents.

Basketball fans, here is your chance to see some real basketball for a small admission. Don't pass this opportunity by—be there Monday evening and pick your winner.

Notices will be posted in the Post Office the end of the week to show which teams will play Monday, and the time of games—watch for this.

The Lumberjacks are playing Charlevoix at 9 o'clock tonight at the Boyne City tournament. This is the first meeting of these teams in years and is sure to be a ball game. Drive over and see it.

CRIPPLED CHILDREN WHITE CROSS SEALS

"The Easter White Cross Seal campaign for Crippled Children is progressing splendidly in all parts of Michigan and other states," said Paul H. King, First Vice President of the International Society and secretary-treasurer of the Michigan organization, today.

"The message of Easter and the thought of the rehabilitation of the Crippled Children harmonize wonderfully."

"President Roosevelt's cordial approval of the effort has given great impetus to the movement everywhere."

"In Michigan, more than half the counties are already organized, and others are rapidly falling into line, most gratifying support, due undoubtedly to the appeal of the plan, in which all agencies, local, state and national, participate. A successful conclusion, now assured, means that substantial benefits and the fine educational and organization work of the State and International societies may go forward unabated even under present trying conditions."

The Michigan Society, already responsible for special classes in the public schools, the establishment and preservation of the work of the Michigan Commission for Crippled Children and the recent securing of an orthopedic surgeon for the Upper Peninsula, is planning a busy year with an active educational program for the prevention of infantile paralysis."

State To Distribute Pheasant Eggs

Approximately 20,000 pheasant eggs will be available from the state game farm at Mason for distribution this year, according to the game division Department of Conservation. Applications will now be considered from proven pheasant counties and persons desiring to raise pheasants on the "first come, first served" basis.

Pheasant islands are areas in the northern part of the state where food and cover have been found sufficiently favorable to maintain pheasants in sufficient numbers to furnish fair hunting.

In conformance with a policy of the Department in past years, eggs will not be supplied to areas where pheasant conditions are not suitable.

Last year 23,250 pheasant eggs were distributed to conservation associations and individuals in various parts of the state. Approximately 4,500 eggs were used in incubator brooders at the Michigan State College and 8,000 were set at the game farm to maintain the pheasant stock there and rear birds for release in the game coverts.

Eggs this spring will be ready for distribution beginning about May 15, the game division reported. Shipments will be made as the eggs become available and will continue until about June 10 when warm weather usually develops.

Circulars containing instructions for the hatching and rearing of pheasants will be mailed to applicants. In hatching pheasant eggs, stated H. D. Ruhl, chief of the game division, it is important that a broody, gentle and healthy hen is selected. Invariably poor results will be obtained if the hen is not properly de-sexed or if the nest is placed in a dry location. On account of their smaller size game bird eggs require more moisture during incubation than ordinary poultry eggs, Ruhl says.

Grayling To Observe Army Day April 9

MICHIGAN PATRIOTS TO BE HONORED HERE ON ARMY DAY

Army Day, Friday, April 6, will be observed nationally and throughout Michigan for the purpose of commemorating the services of the United States Army in both peace and war, according to announcement today by U. W. Hungerford of Detroit, general chairman of the committee on arrangements for the celebration in this state. Preliminary plans to observe the day in every city and community in the state were made at a meeting of the Michigan general committee in Detroit, Monday, (March 5). Appointment of a chairman for this city will be announced during the coming week, Mr. Hungerford states.

Particular honor will be paid on Army Day this year to the memory of Mr. H. M. Patrick M. Dunning of Flint, chairman of the 32nd (Med. Artillery) division during the late war, and Col. Frederick M. Alger of Detroit, outstanding Michigan patriots and soldiers who have died recently.

General display of the American flag, the holding of patriotic and memorial exercises in the public and local schools, patriotic programs before clubs and societies, and a public program, is requested throughout the state. Public drills by the Michigan National Guard and R.O.T.C. also are suggested, and merchants will be asked to add a patriotic flavor to their window displays and newspaper advertisements. Showing of patriotic films in the theatres and featuring in the libraries of books dealing with the history of the Armies of the United States, are anticipated.

LETTER RECEIVED FROM FORMER TEACHER

Following is a short letter received by Leo Jorgensen from Miss Russell, former teacher of the Grayling schools, who is now in Honolulu.

Dear friends: One of the pleasant surprises at the Holiday season is the greeting from you. It so pleases me to be remembered after so many years' absence. My Grayling pupils were and are very dear to me for my years in Grayling hold many pleasant memories.

Should so like to hear what you are doing, Leo, and if you could send me a small snapshot of you, your wife, and family should so like to see what the years have done to you.

Where is your sister? Not long ago looking over some of my school pictures I came across a picture of her and some of you boys.

Is Michigan becoming a tourist attraction? I note the winter has been very cold with much snow. Here it is like summer tonight.

Do you have a radio? If so, you may sometime hear some Hawaiian music from the islands. We got music and speeches from the mainland and on President Roosevelt's birthday we heard him speak from Washington so plainly. Is it not wonderful what is being done these days?

Shall be so glad for any news you care to write and now send greetings to you both.

Most sincerely,
Josephine Russell.

FLEET REVIEW IN JUNE

A plan of ship movements as precise as a clock are being arranged for the full fleet review before President Roosevelt in New York Harbor early in June. Probably only sailormen now appreciate the huge job of moving a line of armored ships nearly 15 miles long through the thoroughfare of probably the busiest harbor in the world at a speed of around 15 miles per hour.

THINGS AND NEW—By Lane Bode

CHANGING JOBS -
THE LABOR TURNOVER IN THE U.S. REACHES 290% A YEAR.
40,000,000 WORKERS BEING HIRED AND FIRED 2 1/2 TIMES EACH YEAR.

SHIP TO AIR -
CATAPULTING PLANES FROM SHIPS SAVES TWO DAYS IN TRANSPORTING FAST ATLANTIC MAIL.

EGGS HARDY!
WEEVILS IN GRAIN STORED IN ELEVATORS CAN BE KILLED BY RADIO WAVES, BUT WITHIN A FEW DAYS DORMANT UNHATCHED EGGS MATCH OUT NEW WEEVILS.

Postmaster Bates To Address Higgins Camp

Thursday night of this week, March 22, the Roscommon band will play a concert at the Higgins Lake CCC camp. Following the music Postmaster Bates of Grayling will tell the boys something of his experiences in over a half century of work in the forests of this state.

Last Monday night Prosecutor John J. Bates of Roscommon addressed the men of the CCC at the Higgins Lake camp. He spoke of his experiences in the educational opportunities the government expects to provide for CCC enrollees. His talk was inspirational. On March 29 Dr. M. A. Martozka of Roscommon will address the men on a medical topic.

These meetings are held in the mess hall at 8:00 o'clock. Any interested visitor is welcome to attend.

Captain Vane from Ft. Sheridan is making himself familiar with the duties of District Commander for the 4th forestry district, expecting to relieve Major Mareno shortly. Captain Vane is with the 61st coast artillery of the regular army. The major has been assigned to CCC camp duties since they were begun and will shortly either take a vacation trip or report to an army hospital for rest and observation.

Lieut. J. D. Hardley has returned to his assignment with Co. 672 of the CCC after a short leave of absence.

POTATO ASS'N. TO HOLD BUSINESS MEETING

The annual meeting of the Top O' Michigan Potato Ass'n. will be held at the Court house in Grayling, Monday, March 26, at 2:00 P. M.

Above meeting open to anyone interested in the Top O' Michigan Potato, Apple and Seed Show, and is being held for the purpose of electing a board of directors and officers for the 1934 Show.

No Show was held in 1933 due to the unsettled financial conditions at that time and the inability of securing State aid.

Prospects look much brighter this year and with State aid in sight we should be able to hold a first class show this fall.

Let's all work for a good turnout at the Annual Meeting and do what we can to hold a banner show in 1934.

ANYONE HAVING BILLS AGAINST THE C. W. A. MUST PRESENT THEM BY MARCH 24th

Farmers To Meet In Grayling Mar. 29

TO EXPLAIN NEW LOAN SERVICE TO FARMERS

Short Term Loans For Livestock And Crop Production

Thursday afternoon, March 29, there will be a meeting at the Court house at Grayling to explain the features of the Production Credit Association which is a district Loan Association with headquarters at West Branch. Crawford county is represented by George R. Annis as director of the board.

This loan organization is being sponsored by the Farm Credit Administration to provide loan funds to farmers for crop and livestock production purposes. Every borrower becomes a member of the association similar to the Land Bank Associations.

Loans will be made only on good security and at a very reasonable rate. The length of the loan will give farmers time enough to repay their loan from crop or livestock production.

Each county must have a person to take application, and an appraiser to check the security, so farmers will be benefited by local service.

This educational meeting is to explain all the features of this permanent setup for short term loans, and farmers are urged to make an effort to attend the meeting and ask questions.

287,000 Fish Taken In One Day

HEAVY DRAIN ON MICH. LAKES AND STREAMS

According to a report filed with the department of conservation by Dr. Carl Hubbs of the institute of fisheries, based on analysis of more than 52,000 creel census cards collected since 1928.

Perhaps the most striking thing about the report is the fact that the 52,000 fishermen, reporting a single day's fishing apiece, showed a total catch of 287,000 legal fish.

Without much question Michigan sends at least 500,000 anglers onto her streams and lakes each year. What must be the total season's catch of these half million fishermen if 50,000 take 287,000 fish in a day? Expressed in actual figures the total would be staggering.

No better argument could be advanced for the rod license now on the statute books. Obviously natural reproduction is not sufficient to keep the state's waters stocked in the face of such a huge drain. A propagation-and-planting program must be carried on and it will have to be expanded as fast as funds permit if Michigan's present average yield of little better than a fish per hour is to continue.

The rod license means funds for this work. Michigan is fortunate in having it.

Out of these 287,000 fish caught in one day, 85,847 were trout—78,631 were brook trout, 1950 were Brown trout and 8,806 were rainbows. And it might be interesting to know just how many of these trout were caught in Crawford county on that one day.

Our fishing wasn't any too good last season and we are wondering how it will be this year in view of the millions of duck that have been living on the AuSable river trout for several months. This was one of the few streams that was not frozen over solid all winter, and even the AuSable froze solid in places never known to before.

If the trout streams of the AuSable valley are to be kept up, it will require, we believe, heavier stocking than has ever been practiced here before.

DR. KLEINSCHMIDT TO GIVE LECTURE

Acting health officer for the Children's Fund, local health unit, Dr. Gladys Kleinschmidt will give an interesting lecture to the women of the community Thursday evening, March 29 at 7:30 at the American Legion Hall.

Dr. Kleinschmidt, who is well prepared in the field of adult education has been conducting a series of similar lectures at Ann Arbor and elsewhere during this past year.

WARNING GET YOUR AUTO LICENSES

Because of the difficulty in earning a living, many things in the past have been overlooked. But now that auto licenses are cheaper, everyone driving a car must be provided with a 1934 license.

Therefore beginning on Sunday, March 25th every car or truck that appears on the streets or roads of the county without a proper license will be picked up.

FRANK BENNETT, Sheriff, Crawford County.

WASHINGTON NEWS LETTER

(By Congressman Roy O. Woodruff, Tenth Michigan District)

The highlight of the week's news at the Capitol was the appearance of Col. Charles A. Lindbergh before the Senate Post Office Committee to testify regarding the charges as to the alleged collusion of the aviation companies in airmail bids. Col. Lindbergh had on the day previous refused for a second time the invitation of Secretary of War Dern to serve on a Committee to investigate airmail and aviation problems, and in his testimony before the Senate Post Office Committee he again took direct issue with President Roosevelt as to the manner in which airmail contracts had been summarily cancelled and the carrying of the mails turned over to the Army, without what the "Lone Eagle" claimed was due preparation.

Lindbergh stood stoutly by his previous assertions made in an open telegram to the President that the contracts had been cancelled without the companies being given a fair hearing, and went further to take issue with Brig. General William A. Mitchell on the question of whether the United States or Europe was ahead in aviation. General Mitchell had earlier testified before a Congressional Committee that the United States is behind Europe in its aviation while Lindbergh took directly the opposite stand and testified that America is ahead of Europe in commercial aviation and its equal in the military branches. Lindbergh further denied that he had ever received any gift of airmail stock and that he had made no money out of speculation in airmail stocks.

His appearance and the tenor of his testimony was of course distinctly disappointing to the administration and has served to widen the breach between the President and Col. Lindbergh, a breach which Secretary of War Dern and others in the Administration have sought to close by getting Lindbergh into the White House in personal contact with the President.

It became very apparent that Lindbergh is determined to stand by his convictions, regardless of who may differ from his views. Great crowds jammed the committee rooms when Col. Lindbergh was testifying and later he went into the private Senate Dining Room for luncheon with a corps of policemen stationed in front of the door.

That his testimony in influential with the Senate Committee having in charge the drafting of new legislation under which airmail contracts will be awarded in the future is shown by the announcement of Senator McCarran of Nevada, who gave out a statement to the press to the effect that he would present a new bill embodying the suggestions of Col. Lindbergh and Clarence D. Chamberlain, the latter of whom is also a famous trans-Atlantic flyer.

By a vote of fifteen to ten, which is the exact proportion of Democrats to Republicans on the Ways and Means Committee, of which I am a member, the bill submitted by the President giving him direct treaty-making and tariff-fixing powers, was reported out to the House last Saturday. This bill is permanent legislation and if adopted would give all future Presidents the authority it proposes to give to President Roosevelt. I am so strongly opposed to abdicating this Constitutional right of Congress that I shall speak at some length in the House of Representatives against it when the bill is up for debate this week, giving my reasons for this opposition.

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Every government official or board that handles public money should publish at regular intervals an accounting of it, showing where and how each dollar is spent. We hold this to be a fundamental principle of democratic government.

RESPECTFULLY DISAGREE

When one hears a trial in a justice court and has an honest, unbiased opinion that the court had made a mistake, what should he do about it? Especially in cases where there is an under dog, so to speak.

We are not inclined to interfere in any way with our courts, and always feel that they are honest, competent and trustworthy. But we cannot get out of our mind the case of Dr. M. A. Martzowka vs. Roscommon, vs. Sherman Reava, in civil action to get payment for alleged damage incurred in an auto collision, recently. The accident happened at the Ogema and Spruce street crossing.

A truck, the vehicle owned by Reava and driven by Will Mosher, a son of W. M. Mosher, came to the crossing on Ogema street and saw a car coming toward the corner about a half block away. Naturally, just as we believe every one, except the most timid of drivers, would not stop but continue on. This Mosher did and, according to his and Reava's testimony had got past the intersection when the other car, coming from the right, struck it in the rear wheel, and the impact was so great that the truck made two complete revolutions before it stopped spinning, and the wheel that was struck was crushed.

According to the defending witnesses, including Sheriff Bennett who was put on the stand by the plaintiff, the Martzowka car had its brakes applied and slid on its tires for about forty feet before the impact; and further, according to the testimony of both Reava and Mosher, the Martzowka car kept to the very outside edge of the highway and even beyond the usual driving area of the street he was using, and when his car struck the truck the latter was clear of the usual driving area.

While we have every confidence in the integrity and fairness on the part of the court, still we feel that it failed to take into consideration certain pertinent factors of the testimony, none of which was disputed. In the first place, asking ourselves what we would have done had we been driving that truck. With a car a half block away, a point that was not disputed, and traveling within the legal driving speed—20 miles an hour in a residential district—we know darn well that we wouldn't have stopped the truck.

On the other hand if the approaching car driven by Dr. Martzowka was traveling within the legal speed limit it couldn't hope to go a half block, three or four hundred feet, as quickly as a car could travel a fifty-foot roadway. And in case the Doctor was exceeding the speed limit and was not able to stop his car in time to prevent the crash, and failed to keep within the usual driving area of the highway, (in which case he wouldn't have come any where near to hitting the truck) then we cannot for the life of us understand why he hasn't had to answer to a charge of reckless driving.

Justice Petersen, according to his remarks, based his decision of the case according to what he believed was the "right of way" on the part of the plaintiff. He contended that as the Dr.'s car was coming from the right that it had the right of way. In this he is right provided there is occasion for dispute between the drivers of both cars as to which one had the right to pass first. Traffic regulations have decided that the car coming from the right has priority over the car approaching from the left. But we believe that that law does not apply in this case for the right of way was, in our opinion, not disputed. There was no dispute as to the truck to the right of the street, and the car coming from the left.

There are thrills in building a house for a home never mind if you do it in a thrice years later. You had the thrills

the highway? Was it because he was traveling so fast that he, even for an instant, lost full control of his car, which the state law says a driver must maintain at all times.

If the Doctor was unable to stop his car in time to avoid that accident then he certainly must have been driving too fast. And if he could have stopped his car and failed to do so, we cannot see where the driver of the truck was in any way to blame. If the street happened to be slippery and the Doctor was driving at an unsafe speed under such conditions he still, in our opinion, would be to blame.

These are some of the things that we believe Justice Petersen failed to consider. A car coming into an intersecting highway from the right has the right of way, our courts contend but they also declare that that does not give the driver the right to drive right along, pell mell, regardless of whom he may injure or what property he might damage. The driver of a car coming from the right has a responsibility to observe just as much as has the driver approaching from the left.

Of course this case can be appealed to circuit court but that costs money, and Mr. Reava is a poor man trying to make a living for himself and large family by hauling and selling wood or by such work as he is able to get. Prosecuting Attorney Nellist says it will cost about \$10.00 besides a bond of \$200 must be filed to secure the court costs and judgment in case the appellant (Reava) lost the case. In that court. Besides a lawyer would have to handle the case in circuit court and this usually costs about \$25 in simple cases such as this. However Mr. Nellist has offered his services in the case without costs. Notice of appeal must be filed within five days in order to be effective, and we believe that there are enough good fellows in Grayling who would be willing to put up these costs in order that the upper court may determine the question.

Dr. Martzowka was represented by Attorney Donohue of Roscommon. Reava was without counsel. Mr. Donohue says that if Reava fails to pay that he will see to it that his driving license is taken from him, which will deprive him from the right to drive his truck or any other car for three years.

With all due respect to Justice Petersen we feel that he made a mistake in this case, just as any other human can make mistakes, careless of how honest or how smart he may be. And we don't like to see some unfortunate person take a rap for something for which we honestly feel he is not to blame.

The judgment rendered by the court imposed the payment of \$61.00, the reported costs for repairing the Martzowka car, together with \$3.55 court costs.

SOME SNOW AND SOME EXPERIENCE

After a pleasant Friday evening, the residents of this region might have been awakened the next morning by vivid lightning and the roar of thunder. And outside what was, bare ground the night before was then a heavy blanket of wet snow. And how the snow did fall! They say it started to storm at about 3 a. m. and it continued steadily for more than 24 hours.

The writer experienced full measure of what it meant to try to get anywhere by auto in heavy snow without chains. But who would have believed that a set of tire chains would have been necessary at that time of the year? We left the Hanson Cafe at 5:45 a. m. bound for Lansing, and reached Roscommon at 9:00 a. m.—3 1/2 hours of wallowing around in the snow, on and off the highway. A car might travel pretty fair if it kept going, but the snow piled so thick and fast on the windshields that they soon were closed to vision. Looking out of an open window one's face was soon plastered with snow and one could hardly see out of his eyes. Then if one stopped to clear the windshield by the time that one could get forward traction again the glass was again plastered.

Hoping every minute that the State snowplows would be coming along, kept up our courage. Finally at 8:30 a. m. the first plow passed us just ten miles out of Grayling. We had no trouble to follow it into Roscommon but too late to continue to Lansing to attend a 10 a. m. meeting at Representative Hall in the State Capitol, so we returned home. By 8:00 a. m. 12 inches of snow had fallen, and that's a lot of snow, especially when it is of the wet variety. We're indebted to Ray Skingley of Whispering Pines gas station for pulling us out of a ditch that we slid into that morning.

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Mr. and Mrs. Leo Gannon are happy over the arrival of a son at their home Friday evening. He weighed 7 1/2 pounds.

The Woman's Club is sponsoring a benefit card party (Bridge and Pinochle) to be given Friday evening at 8:30 o'clock at the club rooms over the Hanson Hardware. Come and enjoy a game. Refreshments will be served. Price 25c.

Yesterday, March 21st was the first day of Spring, according to the calendar. The temperature at 6:00 o'clock a. m. was 35 degrees above and it kept getting colder as the day advanced. At noon it was 24 above and at midnight last night it fell to six below zero. This morning at 6:00 o'clock it registered 9 below and this forenoon although there is a bright sun it is only 4 above.

Carl Mickelson is in town. Must have heard that the rainbow trout were "running" in the AuSable. Carl is a great booster for the AuSable and is personally doing a lot toward improving it. He's especially interested in adequate fish ladders for the power dams. "If we get those to working properly the AuSable will again become America's greatest rainbow stream."

Your editor has been selected as one of four weekly newspaper publishers as a member of the Michigan Administration committee for the regional code authority of Michigan. The other members are George E. Averill, Birmingham, Chairman; A. VanKover, Zeeland, and William Berkeley, Comptons; and Thomas Hockley, Cadillac and C. E. Gerwin, Petoskey, representing the small daily newspapers and O. E. Klein, Grand Haven, the job printers. This group forms the Michigan Regional NRA code authority. Other groups have been appointed by this committee to serve in their respective districts in the state.

All \$5.00 lace boots now \$3.95 at Olsons.

Mr. and Mrs. Sigurd Johnson of Muskegon are here today visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Algot Johnson.

Mr. C. A. Leech of Detroit is making a historical collection of old logging scenes and is desirous of securing a variety of such photos for enlargement. Anyone having interesting photos of Northern Michigan logging scenes are requested to loan them to Mr. Leech for a short time. They will be returned, and also an enlargement of each, if desired. Mr. Leech says that he was not personally financially able to carry out his plans, so Henry Ford has consented to pay the cost if he will do the work. This he says he is glad to do for he is greatly interested. If you have pictures of logging scenes, please send them to Mr. Leech at 662 Phila. Ave., west, Detroit. The Avalanche was glad to send a number of good ones.

Rialto Theatre

PROGRAM

Friday and Saturday, March 23-24

Wynne Gibson and Onslow Stevens

in

"THE CROSSBY CASE"

Added Attractions—

Vanderville on Parade.

Parking Space

Melody Mouse

Orwell

Sunday and Monday, March 25-26

Constance Bennett

in

"MOULIN ROUGE"

The A. S. Burrows Meat Market are adding to the appearance of their building with a new wooden canopy used in place of an awning.

A MILLIONAIRES TWO EX-PENSIVE CINDERELLAS

The American Weekly, with Sunday's Detroit Times, carries an article pointing out, once again, that the old fairy tale doesn't seem to work out in real life as it does in the story books, with the heroine and her "Prince Charming" living happily ever after.

HOLDS MASONIC SCHOOL OF INSTRUCTION

Grand Lodge Lecturer Arthur Fox of Almont, conducted a Masonic school of instruction at Masonic Temple Wednesday night. There was a good attendance of members from both Grayling and Roscommon lodges.

The speaker offered many fine suggestions for the good of the order and for the subordinate lodges which are certain to inspire greater lodge attendance. In fact it was a real inspiration to hear him as he recited the things that are happening in other Masonic lodges. Mr. Fox is a past grand master of Michigan.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our sincere thanks to the Sisters and nurses of Mercy Hospital for their kindness to our little son during his illness, and to our neighbors and friends for their beautiful expressions of sympathy in our sorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Sherman.

The U.S.S. Ramapo on April 20, 1922, using a sonic depth finder, obtained a sounding of 34,023 feet in an unexplored portion of the Pacific. Deep about 250 miles southeast of Yokohama, Japan. This depth is second deepest on record being exceeded only by one of 35,000 feet obtained off Midway, P.I., by the German cruiser Rends on April 20, 1917.

Women's Club Notes

Mrs. F. A. Barnett was hostess for the seventeenth regular meeting Tuesday, March 18th.

Mrs. Adolph Peterson was elected District Delegate, and Mrs. Stanley Flower as alternate, to attend the district meeting at Gaylord April 17 and 18.

R. H. Burns, Supt. of Schools, gave an interesting talk to the club on a review of our study book, "Building the World Society." He especially stressed the uselessness of wars, and the need for education as a means toward outlawing war.

Eighteenth regular meeting was held with Mrs. C. J. McNamara at hostess, Monday evening, March 19th.

Roll call and business.

Mrs. E. J. Olson gave a very interesting book report on "Er Water," a story of the building of the Erie Canal and the opening of the so-called "West" to civilization.

The next regular meeting will also be held at the home of Mrs. McNamara.

LITTLE BOY SUCCUMBS TO PNEUMONIA

Robert Lee, the little two year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Sherman, passed away at Mercy Hospital Friday morning at 8:00. The little boy had been suffering with pneumonia for several weeks.

The funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock at the home, where the little casket was surrounded with beautiful flowers, which showed the sympathy of their many kind neighbors and friends. Rev. H. J. Salmon officiated at the service, while young Douglas Clarke, Ivan McEvers, Walter SanCarlier, and Keith Blain acted as pallbearers.

Mr. Sherman's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Vinson, of Flint, were in attendance at the funeral. Besides his parents the child is survived by one brother and his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James Sherman and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Curran.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Mrs. John Billings is a patient in Mercy Hospital. She was admitted Sunday.

Mrs. Edna Ward was admitted to Mercy Hospital Tuesday to receive medical care.

Ross Thompson, the eight year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Grant Thompson, is a patient in Mercy Hospital. He was admitted Sunday.

Paul Nowaczyk, of Gaylord, was dismissed from Mercy Hospital Tuesday after having received care there for a few days.

Leslie Morgan, of Camp 681, whose home is in Ionia, was dismissed from Mercy Hospital this week, after having been a patient there for a few months.

Before Long—Strawberry shortcake, dandelions, mosquitoes, moving time, straw hats, spring chickens, ditto lamb with mint sauce, picnics, tomatoes and freckles.

Want Ads

WOOD FOR SALE—Dry tamarack, phone 152. Phone 152.

FOUND—Fountain pen. Owner may have same by proving ownership and paying costs. Inquire at Avalanche Office. 3-23-3

FOR SALE—White Leghorn baby chicks, March 22nd. Mrs. Luther Herlick, Grayling, Mich.

MEN WANTED for Rawleigh Routes of 200 families in Roscommon, Missaukee Counties, Grayling. Reliable further should start working this week and increase rapidly. Write immediately. Rawleigh Co., Dept. MC-26-2, Prospect, Ill.

FOR SALE—4 modern houses, cheap for cash or on easy terms. Inquire at Kelly's Grill.

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When you consider how short a time the new Chevrolet has been in production—when you consider, also, that the 1934 car is not last year's model improved, but a basically new automobile, with sweeping changes in design—this production record becomes somewhat of an accomplishment. But, a still greater accomplishment, in our opinion, is the way that these cars have all been produced!

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Low delivered prices and easy C.M.I.C. terms

Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO

Thursday, March 23, 1911

Born—to Mr. and Mrs. Sivas, March 16, a daughter.

Christopher R. King has been appointed P. M. at Wellington in place of M. Benedict, resigned.

Geo. Langevin has planted 40,000 trout in the AuSable last week, and J. C. Burton another big lot, from the State hatcheries.

Married—At the M. E. Parsonage, Wednesday, March 15th, R. W. Dunham and Lena Scoble were united in matrimony, Rev. James Ivey officiating.

Auditor General Fuller estimates that the May disbursement of primary school money will amount to \$6.50 per capita, which is slightly larger than that of a year ago.

More help on the river this summer. A fine boy made his appearance at the home of Henry Stephen Monday, and the family have decided to keep him. Henry smiles audibly.

Snow in the village has nearly disappeared, the kids are playing marbles and all indications point toward the arrival of spring. We have only had 143 days of delightful sleighing and beautiful winter weather.

Ira H. Richardson of South Branch, died at his home in that township, Friday, March 17th, 1911.

President Taft has called an extra session of congress for April 4th to take up the important question of the reciprocity with Canada which died in the Senate with the last Congress. The new house of representatives will be overwhelmingly democratic while the senate will be republican by a small majority.

The "Pym family" have returned from the western wilds of Washington, where they went in 1909 for "health, wealth, and happiness" to "the only town on the map" and purchased their "old home down the river. They are glad to get back, and will be welcomed by many friends. It has been an expensive outing.

On St. Patrick's eve, March 17th, the Catholic ladies of Frederic served a splendid oyster supper, and home talent presented a five act drama at the Frederic Opera House for the benefit of the new Catholic church to be soon erected there.

Over three hundred newspapers have gone out of business in future.

Minnesota the last two years and the wonder is that more of them have not quit. There is no business in existence where so much work is done for "the joy of working" and where so much gratis service is expected. The newspaper that becomes a sort of accommodation institution for the town, instead of a business institution, is bound to shut up sooner or later, and the sooner the better for the editor.—Austin Herald.

Hospital Day
Grayling and vicinity will observe "Hospital Day" on March 23. Mrs. George L. Alexander is general chairman and other committees have been appointed to take care of the details. Everyone is invited to visit the Hospital on that day. Among the original donations toward making the Hospital possible were the following:
Rasmus Hanson \$7000
Estate of D. Ward 3000
C. W. Ward 1000
Nels Michelson 1000
L. Jensen 1000
E. L. Michelson 1000

Then there were other smaller donations ranging in amounts from \$500 to \$5 totaling \$17,104.98 in all and the following other donations of land, etc., as follows:
M. A. Bates, one year telephone service.
Pennell Bros., cornerstones of marble.

O. Palmer, land valued at \$500.
C. W. Ward, land valued at \$300.

To furnish one room each: Brotherhood of R.R. Trainmen—C. W. Ward; R. Hanson; Sailing heirs; Mrs. E. E. Hartwick.

Besides the above, a balance of \$3,337.26 is required to complete and furnish the Hospital.
The officers were: Fr. J. J. Bress, president and manager; Dr. S. N. Insley, secretary; M. Hanson, treasurer; and Rasmus Hanson, trustee.

Dedication of the Hospital when the cornerstone is to be laid will be held sometime in April.

Lovells Local (23 Years Ago)
Messrs. McCallummers and Bessy have resumed work for C. W. Ward.

Mrs. Inez Carrier was doing business at Lovells Saturday.
Mrs. Joseph Douglas has bought a large house in Grayling, and expects to move there and take possession of the same in the near future.

DEFINES BANKERS' PART IN RECOVERY

Head of American Bankers Association Assures President of Confidence and Desires to Cooperate Among Bankers

WASHINGTON, D. C.—President

of the American Bankers Association announced that he had received the following telegram from Francis M. Law, President of the American Bankers Association:

"On this your first anniversary please allow me in behalf of the country's banks to express our full confidence and our sincere desire to cooperate in your courageous efforts to bring about recovery. The banking structure of the country is sound and liquid and banks have never been in stronger position to function effectively. Conditions have improved to the point where it is no longer necessary for banks to be super-liquid. There is a definite call now for banks, not to extend loans, but for a most sympathetic attitude toward legitimate credit needs and for a recognition of responsibility for their proper and vital part in the program of recovery."

The Soundness of Banking
In an address before a recent trust conference of the association's Trust Division in New York, Mr. Law said:
"A depression cannot long survive a sound banking structure. If the banking structure is responsive to legitimate needs and functions in a way that is vital and alive, the most cheering fact of the present situation is the knowledge that our banks are in strong position.
"Recovery, even to the most pessimistic, is no longer a myth or a rumor, nor is it merely psychological. Abundant evidence and proof is on every hand—tangible proof. With a return of confidence the wheels have begun to go round and a great many well managed businesses may look for a profit during this calendar year with fair assurance at least. For what has been achieved let us thank the President, who has labored with courage and patience and vision. Let us thank the Congress, whose members during the emergency have put the public welfare above partisanship. Let us thank our own citizens who have refused to be stampeded but rather who have kept alive the divine spark of faith and hope."

Cause for Confidence
"We may reasonably expect that the recent action of the government in substituting the dollar with a marked tendency to encourage industrial and other business commitments. Business men need not be exclusively engaged in taking counsel of their fears now that uncertainty does not haunt them."

"Much has been said about the loosening of credit by banks. During the acute period of the depression banks for the most part have not been lending normally, nor should they be blamed. With public confidence shattered the banker was properly concerned in liquidity, having in mind his primary obligation to pay off deposits. The situation has improved to the point where super-liquidity no longer seems necessary. Conditions have materially changed. Banks will desire, for every reason, to return to a more normal lending policy. This means a sympathetic attitude and a recognition of responsibility for his proper part in the program of recovery by the banker as he places upon and meets sound credit requirements of business as it swings into and continues on the upward turn."

Public Confidence Returns
Direct information indicates conclusively that the banking situation is showing definite and steady improvement. J. F. T. O'Connor, Comptroller of the Currency of the United States, said in a recent address. He pointed out that the decided drop which has occurred in money in circulation shows that the public has largely ceased hoarding.

On March 1, 1934, the Federal Reserve Board reported that the volume of money in circulation amounted to \$5,355,000,000, which was a decline of \$1,077,000,000 since March 1, 1933. It was a drop of \$1,228,000,000, or over 20 per cent, from the all-time peak of \$7,551,000,000 reached on March 12, 1933. About one-half the decrease, it was pointed out, reflected the return of currency from the public.

Money in circulation declined rapidly after the reopening of the banks in March, 1933, and has continued slowly to decline from week to week, notwithstanding the increase in the demand for currency arising from enlargement of pay rolls and increase in the volume of retail trade," the Comptroller said, which, he added, "indicates a continued return of money from hoards as banking facilities were reestablished."

Registration Notices

REGISTRATION NOTICE
To the Qualified Electors of the Township of Crawford, State of Michigan:

Notice is hereby given that in conformity with the "Michigan Election Law," I, the undersigned Township Clerk, will, upon any day, except Sunday and a legal holiday, the day of any regular or special election or primary election, receive for registration the name of any legal voter in said Township not already registered who may apply to me personally for such registration. Provided, however, that I can receive no names for registration during the time intervening between the second Saturday before any regular, special or official primary election and the day of such election.

Notice is further given that I will be at the Nick Scholtz Store on
Wednesday, March 14th,
Saturday, March 17th,
Saturday, March 24th,
1934, from 8 o'clock a. m. until 7 o'clock p. m. on each of said days for the purpose of reviewing the registration and registering such of the qualified electors as may properly apply therefor. March 24th is the last day of registering by personal application.
Dated March 5, 1934.
Samuel Smith,
Township Clerk.

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Dated March 5, 1934.
Martha Petersen,
Township Clerk.

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Dated March 5, 1934.
John F. Floeter,
Township Clerk.

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Dated March 5, 1934.
Carl Olson,
Township Clerk.

REGISTRATION NOTICE
To the Qualified Electors of the Township of Beaver Creek, State of Michigan:

Notice is hereby given that in conformity with the "Michigan Election Law," I, the undersigned Township Clerk, will, upon any day, except Sunday and a legal holiday, the day of any regular or special election or primary election, receive for registration the name of any legal voter in said Township not already registered who may apply to me personally for such registration. Provided, however, that I can receive no names for registration during the time intervening between the second Saturday before any regular, special or official primary election and the day of such election.

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Dated March 5, 1934.
John LaMotte,
Township Clerk.

REGISTRATION NOTICE
To the Qualified Electors of the Township of Lovells, State of Michigan:

Notice is hereby given that in conformity with the "Michigan Election Law," I, the undersigned Township Clerk, will, upon any day, except Sunday and a legal holiday, the day of any regular or special election or primary election, receive for registration the name of any legal voter in said Township not already registered who may apply to me personally for such registration. Provided, however, that I can receive no names for registration during the time intervening between the second Saturday before any regular, special or official primary election and the day of such election.

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Dated March 5, 1934.
Louise McCormick,
Township Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

UNITED STATES FOREST SERVICE

Milwaukee, Wisconsin
LAND EXCHANGE NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that the State of Michigan, of Lansing, Michigan, has applied for exchange of lands under the Act of March 3, 1925 (43 Stat., 1215). The applicant offers the Government the following:

Township 23 N., R. 6 E.; Sec. 8, NW¼ SE¼; Sec. 9, S¼ NE¼ NE¼ NW¼; Sec. 20, SE¼ SE¼; Sec. 22, W¼ NW¼; Sec. 28, SW¼ SE¼; Sec. 29, NE¼ NE¼; Sec. 34, SE¼ NE¼.

Township 24 N., R. 3 E.; Sec. 2, E¼ NW¼; Sec. 11, NE¼ SW¼ SW¼; Sec. 14, NW¼ SE¼; Sec. 15, SW¼ SW¼.

Township 24 N., R. 4 E.; Sec. 3, S¼ SW¼; Sec. 7, NE¼ NW¼, NE¼ SW¼, SW¼ SW¼, N¼ SE¼, SE¼ SE¼; Sec. 8, W¼ NE¼, N¼ NW¼; Sec. 14, NW¼ SW¼; Sec. 15, E¼ NW¼, SW¼ NW¼, E¼ SE¼; Sec. 17, E¼ SE¼; Sec. 18, N¼ NE¼, N¼ NW¼.

Township 24 N., R. 5 E.; Sec. 1, W¼ NW¼, E¼ SE¼; Sec. 2, NE¼ NE¼; Sec. 5, N¼ NE¼, E¼ NW¼; Sec. 8, NW¼ NW¼; Sec. 20, N¼ SE¼, SW¼ SE¼; Sec. 27, S¼ SE¼; Sec. 29, NW¼ SW¼.

Township 24 N., R. 6 E.; Sec. 24, E¼ NE¼, NE¼ SW¼.

Township 24 N., R. 7 E.; Sec. 17, N¼ SW¼.

Township 25 N., R. 1 E.; Sec. 4, W¼ NE¼.

Township 25 N., R. 2 E.; Sec. 12, SW¼ NW¼.

Township 25 N., R. 4 E.; Sec. 31, S¼.

Township 25 N., R. 1 W.; Sec. 11, NE¼ NE¼; Sec. 20, SW¼ SW¼, S¼ SE¼.

Township 26 N., R. 1 W.; Sec. 14, NE¼ NE¼; Sec. 16, SW¼ NW¼, S¼ SW¼; Sec. 34, NW¼ S¼ NW¼.

Township 24 N., R. 1 E.; Sec. 1, SW¼ SW¼; Sec. 2, SE¼ NE¼, SE¼ SE¼, NW¼ NE¼, NW¼ SW¼, S¼ NW¼, NE¼ NW¼; Sec. 7, Entire; Sec. 11, N¼; Sec. 12, SW¼ NW¼, NE¼ NW¼, W¼ NE¼; Sec. 13, S¼ NE¼, S¼ NW¼, NE¼ NW¼; Sec. 15, SE¼; Sec. 16, NW¼ SE¼; Sec. 18, S¼ NE¼, W¼ SE¼; Sec. 19, S¼; Sec. 20, W¼ NW¼, NE¼; Sec. 22, NE¼, N¼ SE¼; Sec. 27, SE¼ NW¼; Sec. 29, NE¼ NE¼; Sec. 36, N¼ NE¼.

Township 24 N., R. 1 W.; Sec. 2, W¼ SW¼; Sec. 24, W¼ SE¼.

Township 24 N., R. 2 E.; Sec. 15, E¼ W¼ NE¼.

Lying in Ogemaw and Roscommon Counties, totaling 3,584.01 acres, within the Huron National Forest. The purpose of this notice is to allow all persons claiming said lands or having bona fide objections to such application an opportunity to file their protests with this office on or before the date of the last publication notice.

First Publication, March 15, 1934.
Last Publication, April 5, 1934.
E. W. Tinker,
Regional Forester.
By A. C. Shaw, Acting.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

General Land Office at Washington, D. C. Feb. 22, 1934

Notice is hereby given that William J. Brooks, of Loviston, Michigan, who, on September 11, 1930, made Sec. 2289 R.S. homestead entry, No. 02097 G.L.O., for NE¼ NE¼, Section 4, Township 27N., Range 1E., Michigan Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described before County Clerk at Grayling, Michigan, on the 15th day of April, 1934.

Claimant names as witnesses: Earl Jones, Henry Z. Crall, William Frank, Fenton E. Crall, all of Loviston, Michigan.

Antoinette Funk,
3-8-5 Assistant Commissioner.

STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.

In the matter of the estate of James H. Williams, late of the Township of South Branch in said county, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that four months from the 17th day of February A. D. 1934, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court at the probate office, in the Village of Grayling, in said county, on or before the 15th day of June A. D. 1934, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Monday, the 18th day of June, A. D. 1934, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated this 17th day of February, A. D. 1934.

George Sorenson,
Judge of Probate.

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Cashier.

PROBATE COURT

Crawford County, Mich.
Sessions: First and Third Monday of every month.
Hours: 9:00 to 11:00 a. m., and 1:30 to 5:00 p. m.

Any information and first Proceedings in connection with this Court will be had at my office at Sorenson Bros.

GEORGE SORENSON
Judge of Probate

C. M. BRANSON
Attorney and Counselor

Detroit, Michigan

Office: 1615 Barlum Tower

Telephone: Cadillac 6960

Residence: 1987 LaMothe Street.

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Dr. Keyport Dr. Clippert

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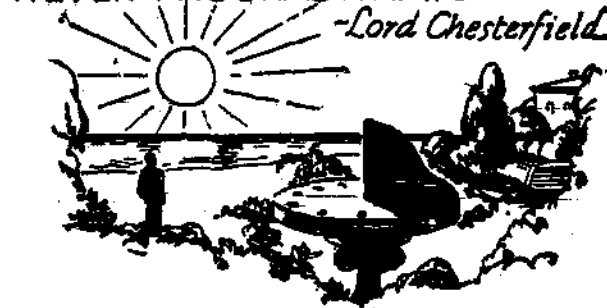
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Election Notices

To the Qualified Electors of the Township of South Branch, Crawford County, Michigan.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held at the town hall in said township on Monday, April 2, 1934, from 8 o'clock in the morning until 6 o'clock in the afternoon, Eastern Standard time, for the purpose of electing the following officers:

Supervisor, Clerk, Treasurer, Highway Commissioner, Overseers of Highways, Justice of the Peace, Member of Board of Review, and four Constables.

John P. Foster, Clerk.

To the Qualified Electors of the Township of Beaver Creek, Crawford County, Michigan.

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John LaMotte, Clerk.

To the Qualified Electors of the Township of Maple Forest, Crawford County, Michigan.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held at the town hall in said township on Monday, April 2, 1934, from 8 o'clock in the morning until 6 o'clock in the afternoon, Eastern Standard time, for the purpose of electing the following officers:

Supervisor, Clerk, Treasurer, Highway Commissioner, Overseers of Highways, Justice of the Peace, Member of Board of Review, and four Constables.

Martha Peterson, Clerk.

LOVELLS

(By Mrs. C. Newby)

George Brand and son Junior of Detroit spent the week end in Lovells.

Lewis Stillwagon is visiting his sister, Mrs. Bill Halburg, of Detroit for a few days.

Lee Kellogg has moved his furniture and is living in Frederic.

Lewis Bill and some friends, of Saginaw, enjoyed a few days at the Bill cabin.

Mr. Frasier, of Detroit, spent a few days at the home of Joseph Duby.

John Sunday made a business call to Grayling last week.

John Selley and Jake Stillwagon went to Bay City Sunday, to tow a car in for George Brand.

Lorane Sparks of Grayling was a caller in Lovells Monday.

Lovells Township had the mis-

fortune of having their truck burn, while snowplowing Saturday night.

Last Friday Jake Stillwagon had a collision with a truck. Mr. Stillwagon's car was damaged quite badly.

Lewis Stillwagon, Elmo Nephew and Bessie Small, who attend high school in Frederic, are home on a two weeks vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rowe are home again, after a visit in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Oaid are visiting friends in Lansing.

Father Sage Says:

A man is born free, but as soon as he is old enough, he hurries around and obligates himself to as many as he can.

Viscount Grey

By LEONARD A. BARRETT

Viscount Grey, who served England as foreign minister during the last war, died recently. At a very simple service, neighbors and friends assembled to pay

tribute to the noted statesman. Quite in contrast was the elaborate memorial service held a few days later in Westminster

abbey attended by United States Ambassador A. B. C. Brown and many other noted persons.

From "The Life and Letters of Walter R. Page," who, during the war, was our ambassador in London, we read about the very responsible and difficult place held by Viscount Grey during the tragic period of international history. "He is a frank and fair and truthful man," writes the author of Mr. Page's biography. "You will find him the day after tomorrow precisely where you left him the day before yesterday."

His power to inspire confidence was a very valuable factor in clearing up many difficult problems which were embarrassing to both America and England. His sense of humor was also an important asset. "Had it not been for the fact that both Page and Grey had an understanding sense of humor, neutrality would have proved a more difficult path than it actually was."

As an orator, Sir Edward Grey held first place. Among his most notable addresses was his appeal in parliament for peace. Ambassador Page, writing about this address to Col. Edward M. House, says: "No utterance by anybody has so stirred the people of this kingdom as Sir Edward Grey's impromptu speech. You have never seen such a rally as that which has taken place in response to his cry."

The loyalty of Viscount Grey to the ties which bound England and United States together and his determination at all costs to keep that friendship, was evidenced in 1912 when, "he resigned his office, forced out," Page says in his letters, "mainly because he had refused to push the blockade to a point where it might produce a break with the United States."

The wisdom of his decision was later recognized as most judicious, especially at a time when the tension over the blockade of merchant ships at sea was threatening. Perhaps the most beautiful tribute to Sir Edward Grey is found in one of Mr. Page's letters: "It has been a God's mercy for us that we have so far had a man like Sir Edward Grey at his post."

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TOWELS IN PUBLIC WASH-ROOMS

In this era of codes and special taxes, questions sometimes arise which are of great importance to the public, but of which they learn very little. For instance, in protecting one industry by holding down another, it becomes a public question how much the one is benefited, at what expense to the other, and with what results to the public.

An illustration has just come to light in the paper industry which has surprising and far-reaching results. Long suffering from de-moralized conditions due to overproduction, restricted demand and unremunerative prices, it now has a new problem. Secretary Wallace, acting under authority conferred on him by the Agricultural Adjustment Act, has imposed a heavy processing tax on paper towels and other paper products, amounting to approximately ten per cent of the manufacturer's selling price. The reason given is that it will prevent a shift in consumption from cotton to paper.

However, the other paper items may be treated, it is certainly to be said in favor of the paper towel industry that it has made a real contribution to sanitation in public washrooms over the period of the last decade. Paper towels are used in schools, public buildings and manufacturing plants where, in most instances, no towel service was used prior to paper towels. In all likelihood no towel service will be provided if the price of paper towels, as a result of the tax, becomes prohibitive.

It is to be hoped that Secretary Wallace will take this into consideration in fixing a revised and just rate, so that the use of this sanitary convenience, which is provided primarily to school children and workmen in factories, is not discarded. It is of too great importance to the public health and the health of school children to be ignored. It would seem that instead of bearing an unreasonable burden, paper towels should be given every encouragement. They are a distinct forward step in the direction of improved sanitary conditions in public washrooms. To tax them out of these and many other places would be a backward step in our modern progress.

Chicago and the Mississippi valley are blamed by Mr. Roosevelt for the rejection of the treaty, and there is no doubt that their arguments against the proposed restriction of diversion of water from Lake Michigan to 1,600 cubic feet a second were potent. This amount, according to Senator Lewis and other Middle West senators, would be wholly inadequate to maintain navigation in the Mississippi waterway. The Atlantic seaboard senators, too, were almost solidly against the treaty.

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DESPITE the fact that President Roosevelt phoned personally to a number of senators of both parties seeking to persuade them to vote for ratification of the St. Lawrence waterway treaty, the pact was defeated in the senate by a vote of 48 to 42. Thus the affirmative vote was far below the required two-thirds of those voting. Party lines were disregarded. Twenty-two Democrats voted against ratification, along with 20 Republicans. In favor of the pact were 31 Democrats, 14 Republicans and 1 Farmer-Laborite.

Mr. Roosevelt, it was said in Washington, was decidedly vexed by the defeat of a major administration measure, and he began preparations to resubmit the treaty at a future session of congress. Senator James Hamilton-Lewis of Illinois, Democratic whip of the senate and one of the leading opponents of the rejected treaty, predicted that Canada would soon offer the United States a substitute treaty. This may be true, but dispatches reveal that in Montreal, at least, the defeat of the pact was hailed with joy because business men there think the project too expensive to be undertaken at this time. The President's warning that Canada would on its own initiative, build an all-Canadian waterway seems to be met by this news from Montreal.

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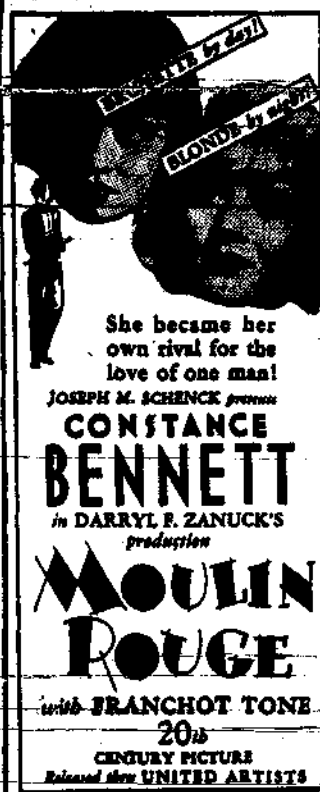
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News Briefs

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Get a real Racing Turtle FREE
with Dr. West Toothpaste—Mac
& Gladys.Misses Margrethe and Olga Nelson
spent last week-end in Saginaw
visiting friends.Dr. Stanley Stealy left Friday
to spend a week or ten days at
his home in Charlotte.See the women's hostry, the
Mystery Shado-twist, defies runs
and wears indefinitely, at Olsons.Mrs. C. G. Clippert accompanied
by her mother Mrs. Edward
Webb, spent one day last week in
Petokey.Martha offer shelter and hid-
ing places for many species of
game birds and animals. Don't
burn them.Louis Engel visited his brother-
in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs.
Ward Primrose in Alba over the
week end.Wilhelm Rane and O. W. Hanson
returned from Saginaw Friday
after spending a couple of days
there on business.Miss Edna Muth returned to her
duties at Hanson's Restaurant
Monday morning, having recovered
from her injured shoulder.Mrs. J. Raff entertained a few
friends at dinner at the Algot
Johnson home Sunday evening
complimenting Dr. Raff who was
celebrating his birthday anniversary
a theatre party at the
Rialto made up a part of the
pleasant evening.New spring shoes and hostry
to match are here. Come in and
see them at Olsons.Mrs. Sally Martin accompanied
Mrs. Marian Jewell (C. W. A.
nurse) to Houghton Lake and
Nelsville Friday of last week.Mrs. B. A. Cooley returned
from Detroit Tuesday, where she
had been for a few days buying
new spring stock for the Redson
& Cooley store.Mr. and Mrs. Ferd Tompkins
left for Detroit last Friday, where
they expect to remain indefinitely,
the former hoping to get back on
his former job there.Mr. and Mrs. William Miner
returned from Hart, Mich., Thurs-
day after having spent a week
there visiting the latter's father,
B. D. Clute, who has been ill.Mrs. Harold Cliff, of Lansing,
spent last week-end in Grayling,
where she visited Mr. Cliff, the
latter who is employed at the
Pioneer C.C.C. camp near Ros-
common.Roy Milnes celebrated his birth-
day Monday evening with a stag
party. Many of his old golfing
cronies were present, and they
planned a brilliant golfing season
for the coming year.Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hanson
accompanied by Miss Marie
Brown, and Mrs. Dorothy John-
son returned from Mt. Clemens
and Detroit Friday after having
spent a few days there visiting
friends.There was a very interesting
meeting of St. Mary's Altar so-
ciety at the home of Mrs. Thomas
Cassidy last Thursday. Various
plans were discussed to raise
funds for the church. Mrs. Cas-
sidy was assisted by Mrs. Earle
J. Hewitt.10% off on all rubber footwear
at Olsons.Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Greenbury
and family are visiting relatives
in Detroit this week.James Olson, of Clark, spent
Monday here visiting his mother,
Mrs. N. P. Olson and other rela-
tives.At the C.C.C. hospital at Camp
Ausable, company 681, eight men
are quarantined, there being a
case of scarlet fever there.P. J. Mills was in Bellaire
on business Monday and will
spend next Saturday in Battle
Creek on business also.Miss Agnes Brozek of the local
telephone exchange spent Sunday
visiting at her home in Cheboy-
gan.Grayling Lumberjacks, are at
Boysie City tonight where they
will meet Charlevoix, competing
for honors in an independent
tournament.We can furnish you anything in
Underwood Typewriters—new
standard and portable machines,
or rebuilt machines.—Avalanche
Office.Miss Ann Brady, who is a stu-
dent at the Jackson Commercial
school, spent last week end here
with her parents, Mr. and Mrs.
John Brady.Glenn Supernau, pharmacist,
who for the past few months has
been employed at the Mac & Gid-
ley Drug Store, has returned to
East Jordan.Mr. and Mrs. Harry Raino and
daughters, Ruth and Betty, of
Detroit, spent last week end here
visiting Mrs. Raino's mother,
Mrs. James Reynolds and family.Walter Bosworth, of Bay City,
spent the week end here joining
Mrs. Bosworth who was visiting
her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles
Johnson. The latter returned with
him Monday.Sheriff Bennett says "No fool-
in" when he says that any cars
or trucks appearing on our high-
ways on or after March 26th with-
out a proper license will be pick-
ed up.We wish to express our ap-
preciation for the road made for
us by the men working on the
snowplow in Maple Forest Sunday
morning. Thank you—Mr. and
Mrs. E. F. Jewell.The home of Albert Charron has
been under quarantine for several
weeks, some of the children be-
ing ill with scarlet fever. The
ban was lifted last Thursday and
they have all recovered nicely.Little Ross Thompson, son of
Mr. and Mrs. Grant Thompson is
at Mercy Hospital receiving treat-
ment for ear trouble, having suf-
fered with earache for several
days.Miss Helga Jorgenson has moved
her beauty culture business
known as the Betty Mae Beauty
Shopee to the quarters formerly
occupied by Mrs. Clara Olson. Her
telephone number is the same, 144.Henry Bousson has gone to
Trout Lake in Chippewa county in
the Upper Peninsula on a job of
lumber inspecting for the Kerry
& Hanson Flooring Co. Emil
Giegling accompanied him, expect-
ing to return to Grayling again
the last of the week.Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Scott and
daughter Nilah Jean, of Roscom-
mon, Mr. and Mrs. R. Duell Vin-
cent (Ethel Ostrander), of Jack-
son, Mrs. Mildred Dickson, of
Cadillac and Charles Struble, of
South Haven spent Sunday at the
Charles Waldron and Mrs. Hazel
Kochanowski homes.Oral Levan, who was coming
from Gaylord to Grayling last
Saturday evening, accompanied
by Leo Skinner, met with an ac-
cident, just this side of Frederic,
when his car left the road, turn-
ing over on its side. Neither party
was hurt, other than a few bruises,
and the car hardly received a
dent.T. P. Peterson and his three
daughters, Jean, Beatrice, and
Virginia spent Sunday in Vassar
and Bay City. They were accom-
panied home by Mrs. Peterson,
who had spent the week visiting
her mother in Vassar. Stopping
in Bay City they visited Mr.
Peterson's brother, Guy Peterson
and family.George Burke drove to Detroit
and Cleveland last Friday taking
home his little niece Luella
Burke, to Cleveland, who has spent
several months here visiting at
the Burke home.Otto Failing had a week's sup-
ply of groceries amounting to
close to \$6.00 taken from his auto-
mobile parked in the driveway
next to the Lovely restaurant
Saturday night. He had left his
car there and was in at Alfred
Hanson's Garage for a short time
and when he returned to his car
the groceries were gone except a
pound of butter which had been
dropped by the thieves as they
were carrying their plunder away.
It isn't but a few weeks ago that
a lot of groceries and a pair of
ladies shoes were stolen from the
Clyde Peterson car parked in front
of the Lovely restaurant on US-27.
Both thefts were committed in
the early evening.

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taining Mrs. Land of Vassar.F. J. Mills had as his guest
Tuesday, C. L. Beckerson, of Bay
City.Corwin Auto Sales is display-
ing new Terraplane and Plymouth
coupes, that just arrived. Nels
says "come in and see 'em."Miss Lorraine Kochanowski who
is attending school in Roscom-
mon, spent the week end at her
home here. She had as her guest
Miss Elaine Shirley of Roscommon.Yes, we are still dancing the
newest and the oldest steps to
the strains of the Harmony Mak-
ers 5-piece orchestra at the
Temple Saturday night. Come to
a good place and have a good time.
—Frank Bridges, Mgr.Mrs. M. J. Kessler, who has
been spending the winter in St.
Clair, spent Tuesday night visit-
ing Mrs. Louis Kessler and Mrs.
Thomas Cassidy here, enroute to
her home in Cheboygan.How would you like a rebuilt
Royal Typewriter, that the Com-
pany says is "Like New," and
labeled on the machine, A \$100
machine for \$42.50. Grab this
quickly if you are interested.—
Avalanche Office.Rev. J. W. Greenwood, of Nor-
way, called at the Harold Jarmin
home last week when on his way
to Akron, Mich., where he officiated
at the funeral services of a
niece and nephew, who passed
away within a short time of each
other.There was a large crowd en-
joyed the coffee party at Con-
sine's Grocery last Saturday. The
delicious beverage was served
along with hot and cold refresh-
ments. Mrs. Calvin Church presided
at the coffee urn.Mrs. H. A. Bauman, who has
been visiting her daughter and
grandson, Mrs. Helen Boutler and
son Ralph, in Detroit for several
weeks arrived home Tuesday to
spend this week at home with her
daughter Miss Margaret. Her
nephew Eberhard Hanson, who is
employed there by the American
Mat Company accompanied her
and is visiting his parents, Mr.
and Mrs. Hanson.The new Mystery Shado-twist
hostry are very sheer and they
wear as long as service weight.
See them at Olsons.Mrs. Lyle Mills gave a silver
tea at her home yesterday after-
noon. This is one of the series
of teas that are being given for
the Woman's Home—Missionary
society during the lenten season.Henry III and Frederick Smith,
sons of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Smith,
of Bay City, are spending
their spring vacation at the
Smith cabin—Camp Ginger-Quill,
on the Ausable. The boys have
with them their cousin, Franklin
Smith, also of Bay City.It is an adding machine that
you need, now about a Victor
Adder-Subtractor. They're a great
machine. We can offer you a \$100
rebuilt Victor for \$69.50. A won-
derful bargain. Or a re-
built for only \$35.00.—Avalanche
Office.St. Patrick's Day was fittingly
observed in Grayling when a large
crowd attended the band dance
at the Temple and another nice
crowd was entertained at Spike's
Beer Garden. Everyone made the
best of the occasion by making
merry.Varied colored sweet peas and
freeseas in an amber flower bowl
formed a lovely center piece for
the long table at which the mem-
bers of Mrs. A. J. Joseph's Bridge
Club found their places at her
home Saturday afternoon. Guests
included Mrs. Walter Bosworth
of Bay City, Mrs. Robt Reagan
and Mrs. Holger Peterson who
held the high score for bridge.Several Grayling Legionnaires
and their wives and others at-
tended the benefit basket ball
game held in Roscommon Tuesday
night, and were dismayed at the
Jacks being trounced by the
Ramblers by the score of 49 to
33. Just think of it. Well, any-
way a similar benefit will be stag-
ed in Grayling Tuesday night,
April 2, and the Jacks and Ram-
blers will play again. The Jacks
really have an alibi though—
some of their regulars were on
the sick list and others didn't
show up.Men: Get a new pair of Inter-
woven Sox for Easter to wear
with your new shoes. See them
at Olsons.Clinton McNeven, of Bay City,
spent Sunday in Grayling visiting
friends. While here he accompan-
ied Howard Granger, Alex Koch-
anowski, and William Entsminger,
on a trip to Mio.Herbert Parker has been placed
on the Democratic ticket for high-
way commissioner, in place of
Clayton McDonnell the nominee,
the latter being called unexpect-
edly to Detroit, where he will re-
main.Mrs. Harold Skingley had a
genuine surprise Monday evening
when 42 friends walked in on her
to remind her it was her birthday.
Bunco, pinocle and bridge were
enjoyed and there was music gal-
loped by the full orchestra from
the Hayloft. Of course there was
a pot-luck lunch.In honor of Major Mareno, who
has been released from his duties
in the C.C.C. camps in this vicinity,
the officers of the various camps
nearby gave a farewell banquet
Tuesday evening at Shoppenagons
Inn. The Major hopes for a four
months furlough which he expects
to spend in Spain. The guests
other than the guest of honor,
were his successor Capt. Vane,
Captains Todd, Murphy, and Nes-
ter, Lieutenants Hardley, McDer-
mott, Davis, Allen; Dr. and Mrs.
Igloo, Lieut. and Mrs. John
Libcke, and Miss Land, Vassar.Miss Ellen Speck, daughter of
Mr. and Mrs. John Speck, who
graduated from Grayling High
School in 1929, accompanied by
Miss Juanita Fahrner, of West
Branch, is finding hitch-hiking
faster than motoring. The two
young ladies hiked from Detroit
to Fort Worth, Texas in 8 1/2 days.
In Arizona now, they are de-
termined to hike to the coast be-
fore a stooping. They write inter-
esting letters of their trip, which
has included Louisville, Ky.,
Nashville, and Memphis, Tenn.,
Little Rock and Hot Springs, Ark.,
Dallas, Ft. Worth and El Paso,
Texas, Albuquerque, New Mexico,
Phoenix, Arizona and many other
cities.John Bruun returned from Sagi-
now Saturday, where he had
spent a few days on business.The new Mystery Shado-twist
Chiffon-hose defies runs and wears
indefinitely. See them at Olsons.Clayton McDonnell left Satur-
day for Detroit where he intends
to remain, having secured work in
one of the factories there.Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Hanson and
Misses Ella and Margrethe will
leave Monday for Detroit, accom-
panied by Mrs. Hanson's mother,
Mrs. Terrace Wallace, who will
go from there to Richtown, Ont.,
to visit relatives. The following
Wednesday Mr. and Mrs. Hanson
and daughters will leave for the
south. In Indianapolis, Ind., they
will be met by Dr. and Mrs. C. R.
Keyport, and the party will go
to Nashville, Tenn., to visit the
latter's daughter, Miss Jayne
Keyport, who is a student at
Ward-Belmont School. While away
they will visit other points farther
south and the Keyports plan to
be gone about two weeks, while
the Hansons will remain away
longer.Irving Parley Shelp of Flint,
employed for the Civilian Con-
servation Corps at Camp 672 in
the capacity of the State, was
united in marriage to Miss Ruth
Estelle Graham of Durand in
Grayling Saturday evening. The
ceremony took place at Michelson
Memorial church at 7:30 o'clock.
The Rev. H. J. Salmon officiating.
The young couple were attended
by Miss Helen Lorraine Whit-
comb of Durand and Mr. Lewis
Perman of Detroit. They expect
to make their home in Grayling.Mrs. Emil Giegling was hostess
to her new Bridge Club Wednes-
day at luncheon. The guests were
seated at a long table, which was
covered with a yellow cloth and
green daisies and contained with
spring flowers. It made a very
pretty table. The prize for bridge
was won by Mrs. Harold Jarmin.
The members of the new club are
Mrs. Emil Giegling, Mrs. Harold
McNeece, Mrs. Frank Reusch,
Miss Margrethe Bauman, Mrs.
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Mrs. Ernest Howell, and Mrs.
Harold Jarmin.

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NOTICE To Unemployed Men

During the last few months we have avoided asking applicants to report at the National Reemployment Office periodically in order to determine whether or not they were still unemployed, the reason being that there was little opportunity for securing other employment. Now that we did not want them to travel long distances merely for the purpose of stating that they were still out of work. Due to the change in industrial employment during the past few weeks, we believe that we have a considerable number in our files who are no longer available, and in order to check our files to this end, it will be necessary to make a complete re-registration of men unemployed who still desire work.

Renewals of registration can be made by personal call at the office or the applicant may mail us a postal card, or use the phone or send the message by someone else coming in, to signify that they are still desirous of employment.

All applicants who are desirous of employment but who have not renewed their application by March 20, 1934, will be cancelled from our available list.

National Reemployment Office.
Earl J. Hewitt, Mgr.

SHE HAD AN IDEA!

Trust the American woman to think something different and interesting even in her welfare work, as well as something that is practical. Members of the American Legion Auxiliary have announced their intention of making one million glasses of jelly for the needy and unfortunate by October 1—and thereby hangs a tale.

A little dynamo of a woman in Philadelphia named Mrs. William H. Biester, Jr., last year was national rehabilitation chairman of the Auxiliary. Working in that office, she came face to face with the urgent welfare needs in communities all over the country. And, at the same time, she met women everywhere who were willing—oh, so willing—to help but couldn't seem to get started on anything worthwhile and practical.

That set Mrs. Biester to thinking. What was one of the greatest needs among the poor? Food! What kind of foods should women make? Something that could be made easily and inexpensively, something close to the "stuff" of life, and something that would keep indefinitely. Then the answer came to her. Home-made jellies. And jams. The whole preserved fruit family. Why shouldn't the half-million members of the Auxiliary make thousands upon thousands of glasses of these nourishing, wholesome energy foods for Thanksgiving, Christmas and Easter baskets? To distribute in orphanages, in veterans' hospitals, to the needy in communities everywhere—right where the jellies were made in fact.

Mrs. Biester's idea grew roots and now the Auxiliary is launching a nationwide jelly making project with a million glasses a its goal.

And so, next fall and winter, many a child who would have had to eat his bread with no accompaniment will have delicious jams and jellies to spread upon it.

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State Revenue From Oil Wells

In seven years more than \$250,000 has been turned over to the general fund of the State of Michigan by the Conservation Department, the direct income from the oil industry affecting state lands and reserved mineral rights.

This income represents royalties, rentals, bonus and fees pertaining to the leasing of state lands for well drilling.

At the rate royalties and rentals mounted in the state's returns last year and the existing possibility that the oil industry will continue to grow—it is thought that within a few years it might form the basis for a substantial source of revenue to the people of the state.

So far as the state's treasury is concerned the oil industry has an inauspicious beginning. In 1922, the Conservation Department reported a gross income of \$4,500. This represented the rental of oil leases on state property. The following year, 1923, this new industry netted Michigan \$1,913.86.

The first substantial income came in 1929 with the opening of the mid-state fields. In that year royalties mounted to more than \$21,000 and with rentals, bonus and application fees brought the state an income of \$25,846.27.

The year 1930 with rapid developments in the oil fields yielded the state treasury \$96,622.99 of which \$50,692.08 was from royalties alone. Rentals amounted to more than \$17,000 and bonus an equal sum.

In 1931 the state's income was slightly more than \$4,000 and in 1932 it came to \$30,634.

The spread of the oil industry in 1933 with increasing encroachments toward state-owned land resulted in an income of \$117,204.77. Of this amount \$93,184.73 was in royalties, \$22,866.54 in rentals, \$3,528.50 in bonus for leases and \$187 in application fees.

During the past seven years the revenue has totaled \$305,883.45; that being the amount turned over by the Lands Division, Department of Conservation, to the state treasurer.

Rental under state regulations is at the rate of 50 cents a year per acre on land leased from the state. If wells are not drilled the first year the rental mounts to \$1 a year. The bonus represents the highest price offered for a particular lease in addition to the regular rental fee.

In addition to the revenue derived by the state from the leasing of oil rights on state lands and the royalties obtained by the state from oil produced on this land, there is a considerable income both to the state and local political units from oil operations.

A flat severance tax of two percent of all oil produced in Michigan is prorated between the state, the county and the township in which the particular wells are located. In addition, it was pointed out, property values rise in the vicinity of proved fields with resulting higher tax returns.

STOCK FOR PLANTING 7,000 ACRES PINE SEEDLINGS

White, Norway and jackpine planting stock for close to 7,000 acres of state forest land will be available at Higgins Lake nursery this spring it was announced by the Forestry division, Department of Conservation.

As soon as ground conditions are favorable the seedlings will be removed from their nursery plots and set out by Civilian Conservation Corps crews in the 12 state forests.

During the coming autumn, the forestry division reported nursery stock for at least 30,000 acres will be available for planting in state forests.

What Other Editors Have To Say

Dana of the New York Sun said at a meeting of the Wisconsin Editorial Association—Milwaukee—July 24, 1888:

That is what I mean by the power of the press; the power of speaking out the sentiment of the people, the voice of justice, the inspiration of wisdom, the determination of patriotism, and the heart of the whole people.

In this country our constitution puts into the hands of the executive officers of the government a tremendous authority. There is no king, no emperor, no autocrat in the world who wields such authority, such power, as the president of the United States.

We will suppose the time should come—God forbid that it ever should come—when there should be in the post of the president a man who has gained such influence over the hearts of the whole people that they become deaf to the suggestion of wisdom, and give to his ambition a free sway and an open field. Suppose that he should set aside, little by little, the restraints of the constitution. Suppose that he tramples upon that great principle of personal liberty which is the noblest inheritance that our fathers have left us, because it is the very life of the republic; suppose he tramples down that principle; the executive power in his hands, even the courts incline to subservience, the army follows and obeys him.

Where, then, is the safeguard of the public against his ambitions? It is in the press. When every other bulwark is gone, the free press remains to preserve the liberties we mean shall be handed down to our children, and to maintain, let us hope, the republic in all its majesty and glory for ever and ever.

IS PROHIBITION RETURNING?

That prohibition is already on its return is clearly evident from the disregard for all respect for all law and order, even to the extent of wringing from Frank A. Picard, chairman of the Michigan Liquor Control Commission, the statement, that "If we can't keep the business clean, then I, despite the fact that I am a wet will be one of the hundreds of thousands of other wets who will vote to bring back prohibition."

If Mr. Picard and his wet friends are sincere, as we believe they must be, there will be a great many more, who are not wet but who helped to vote out prohibition because they had been made to believe prohibition a failure, who will vote for its return because liquor is even a much greater failure.

And just why should not legal liquor be a much greater failure? Is there anyone who can produce evidence that those actively engaged in its "merchandising" have any respect for law and is it not a fact that every vendor of liquor tries at every turn to evade the law in order to acquire gain, and is it not a fact that his patrons will turn every hand to bring about that aim? And this is beside the element of morals, which is even worse.

Liquor goes hand in hand with every manner of vice and crime, but it shuns the just and upright just as the just and upright shun it. The old type saloon has justly been characterized by one of our late departed citizens as "the portal of hell", the headquarters for the prince of lies in whom there is no truth, who can understand no truth. That brazen "serpent" is again rearing its head only to again have it crushed—A. Vankoevering in the Zee-land Record.

Fashions Go Mexican



As we look forward toward the fashion trends of the coming spring, what do we find? Well, we discover that the dictators of the modes are going south of the Rio Grande for their ideas. Here is a pull-over blouse of giddy Mexican colors in stripes on a soft silk fabric. It is something like this that goes rather well with a natural shantung coat and skirt at a town and country trend.

NEW YORK PLANS TO OUTLAW ITS SLUMS

Projects Under Way Will
Cost Many Millions.

New York.—They are going to outlaw slums in New York city—some day—maybe.

The big drive toward this Utopian goal is already under way. After many years of agitating, planning, bickering and otherwise mulling over the problem, the city has finally set on foot a campaign to eliminate the so-called "blame spots" with modern housing developments and is turning over a third with a view to early action of some kind. At least two other projects are under consideration.

The five enterprises look to the expenditure of something like \$75,000,000 on up-to-date, fireproof, sanitary housing to provide cheap rental living quarters to replace the rat-infested, disease-breeding hovels and tumble-down rookeries now disgracing the affected localities or but lately removed preparatory to the "developments."

City Government Aids.—While none of the so-called "elimination" plans is a city project, the municipal government is lending its aid and encouragement to the movement in a general way and is undertaking to help out with street closing and tax exemptions, leaving the financing and management of the houses to private capital. Most of the schemes, incidentally, are conditioned on the outcome of applications for loans from the Federal Reconstruction Finance Corporation as well as on petitions for city aid in the way of tax exemptions, etc.

One of them, i. e., the Fred F. French Operators plan for replacing the so-called "Long Block" on Manhattan's East side with a \$8,000,000 development, to be known as "Knickerbocker Village," has already obtained an R. F. C. loan for \$8,075,000 as a running start toward actual fulfillment. In announcing the approval of the loan, the corporation's board had some nice things to say of the project, among them observing that:

"The site of the development is in the heart of New York city's heaviest tuberculosis casualty areas of the period immediately preceding and following the turn of the century. . . . The building of a modern, clean, light apartment community will eliminate a potential disease-spreading block of buildings. The 'Long Block' alone accounted for 291 cases of tuberculosis between the years 1904-1904. Only two houses of the block have been free from the disease."

Each building of the village will be of hollow square construction, providing a large interior court. Light and sunshine will be insured for every apartment.

It is estimated that this project will furnish employment to about 10,000 men directly or indirectly for a year or more.

Plan Cheap Rentals.

Another project on the way to actual fulfillment is known as the Chrysler-Forsyth street development plan, looking to the improvement of some seven blocks of the lower East side—five of them with modern apartments for "rock-bottom" rentals to white-collar workers and other two with parks.

The total estimated investment in the buildings will therefore be \$9,280,708. The published value of \$12,789,708 for the development was explained recently as including a figure of \$3,500,000 to represent the value of the city leasehold.

Another slum elimination project that is looking up in spite of the depression is that known as the Rutgers town plan, which involves the proposed expenditure of some \$40,000,000 in a model housing development on the East side, just below Manhattan bridge.

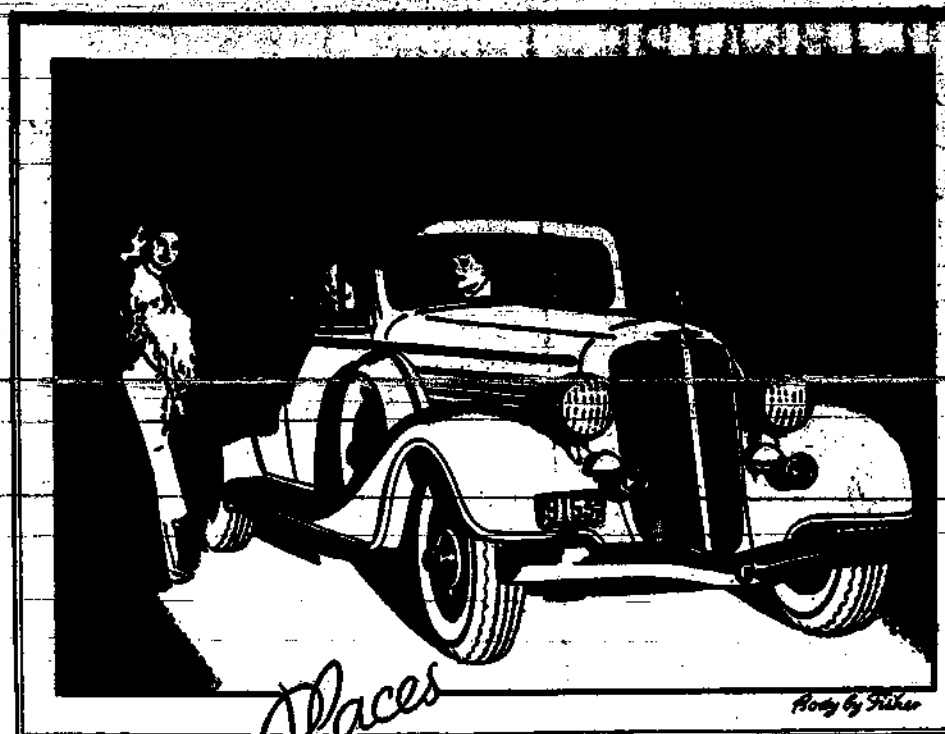
The development plan includes an interior park and roof playgrounds. Each building is to be a separate unit 12 stories high. Backers of the project are withholding a start of operations, pending action on their application for tax exemption. The Hillside Housing corporation has the plans all drawn for a big housing project to wipe out a slum area in the Bronx, but there has been some hitch in its plans for wheeling a \$4,000,000 loan out of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation and the enterprise is not going so well.

Other projects in a more or less nebulous state look to the elimination of slum areas in Brooklyn and Queens.

Mallard Duck Attacks

Workers to Protect Nest Bend, Ore.—A mallard duck, whose setting of eggs was strategically located in an important part of the Sheelin-Hixon lumber mill, almost upset plans for reopening the mill. She attacked the workers who came near her nest and refused to be budged from it. The problem finally was solved by moving the planks upon which her nest was built.

Jawalen Town—This city's jewel are have been ordered to take and it ceases as "junk dealers" because they have begun to advertise "Wanted—Old Gold."



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Did You Know?

The National Anthem was adopted by Congress until March, 1931.

The last surviving soldier of the War of 1812 died in 1906.

That over 20% of the current deaths in the U. S. Navy are caused by automobile accidents.

Samoa is the only U. S. possession south of the equator and is governed by a naval officer.

The U. S. S. Mercy formerly a hospital ship, is to be turned into a home for homeless men by the State of Pennsylvania. Trade vocations will be taught them on board.

In 1778, February 14th, the flag of the United States, the Stars and Stripes, was first seen and saluted in foreign waters at Quiberon, France. It was flown from the peak of the U. S. S. Ranger commanded by John Paul Jones.

That in the Navy a rope is always a "line." But if it is attached to the bow of a small boat it is a "bow painter." Coverings over the exposed steel surfaces of turret guns are "panties" or "bloomers."

That during the year 1794 a French cavalry won a naval battle. The Dutch fleet became ice-bound in the Zuyder Zee. When the French cavalry learned this, they galloped across the ice, surrounded and seized the fleet.

That no men are accepted in the Navy who have ever been arrested and convicted of any crime, have been reared or committed to any institution having correctional features, or have a juvenile record. Minor traffic violations are the only exception to this ruling.

NOTICE

DEPT. OF CONSERVATION
Lansing, Michigan

George R. Hogarth, Director. A competitive examination will be held on Wednesday, March 28, 1934, at 9:00 A. M. E. S. T., at the Court House in Grayling, for the purpose of selecting a Fire Warden for the South Half of Crawford County.

Signed, The Department
of Conservation.

FACING THE MUSIC

The National Recovery Administration asked the critics of the New Deal to come to Washington and express their views. They came, and they "cracked down" hard on the provisions of the different codes. The result is that the President stepped into the grand stand to direct the code orchestras. General Johnson's 519 codes aren't as perfect as that at this time and the following explosive gentlemen evidently believed they were.

Now the questions arise as to what to do about shortening maximum hours, increasing minimum wages, improving enforcement of labor provisions, and compelling obedience to the whole program under which the Government is seeking to control and manage the affairs of a free people.

General Johnson seems to have been convinced that there are a good many sour notes in his orchestra. Still, it is evident, that industrial America is standing pat; and nearly everyone is patiently praying that the New Deal may be successful.

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OUR GANG MEETING

Our Gang met at the home of Cora Neal Thursday afternoon with twenty-three members and six guests present. Thought for Today was read by Mrs. George Woods.

Keno prizes were given to Mrs. Ben Pankow; Mrs. John Wakeley and Mrs. Paul Feldhauser. The Penny Prize was given to Mrs. J. S. Sherman.

Election of officers took place at this time and the following were elected for six months:

President—Doris Palmer.
Vice Pres.—Bonnie Wakeley.
Secretary—Bertha Williams.
Treasurer—Florence Wakeley.

An Easter party and a benefit party will be given Thursday evening, March 29, at the home of Mrs. Frank Servan.

NAVY HUMOR

Sailor (To Judge at Dog Show)—Yes, sir, I paid \$1,000 for the dog. He's part bull and part collie.

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Sailor—The part about the \$1,000.

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